

Top float in the Homecoming parade was furnished by Phi Sigma Epsilon fraternity. A beautifully constructed work, the float's unique feature was that it was carried by the members of the fraternity.



The Queen's Float

Policy Changes Discussed by Student Senate

Discussion of campus activities and their improvement dominated the floor of the Student Senate meeting November 9 in the Union.

Point System

Constructive criticism and suggested changes in the organization of homecoming in general were viewed. Thelma Gerdes, Bill Needles, and Norman Wilcox were appointed to a committee to investigate the point system used with the presentation of awards.

Ways to stimulate independent interest and participation in homecoming were discussed.

Campaign procedures and infractions were debated. J. C. Combs, Anne Chick, and Larry Timmerman were appointed to investigate campaign rules and were delegated to set up definite rules for Senate campaign.

Discussion of the new grading system was also taken up in the meeting. A recommendation was sent to the faculty committee to reconsider the policy because of the opinions of the students.

To K. C.

Six delegates from Student Senate will go to a convention at Kansas City University November 17-19. They are Penny Hopkins, June Lee Nelson, Marty Gray, Bill Needles, Don Soper and Bob Cotter.

"Take me to your leader's wife," said the Martian as he landed in Washington, D.C. From the Reader's Digest

For Violators Two Ways Out

Violators of campus parking regulations have two avenues of action concerning their parking tickets; (1) pay the fine at the Business office, or (2) appeal the ticket to the Student-Faculty Traffic Court.

The following people have one or more tickets and are urged to dispose of them in one of the previously mentioned methods.

Homer Baxter, Galen Bonham, Robert Briggs, Jim Byland, Ralph Cooper, William Corll, Joe Crandall.

Bertha Ede, Larry Elder, David Foss, John Gregers, Bill Guess, Carl Haines.

Gary Klever, William Craft, James Mahoney, Phil Messner, Bill Milton, Melba Noakes, Jerald Norfolk.

W. R. O'Riley, Barbara Palling, James Pross, Albert Provost, Charles Ransom.

Franklin Rupe, George Sloan, Bobbie Walker Smith, Byron Spaulding, Larry Suiter, Gary Taylor, Elvin Ungles.

Bill Walker, James C. Ware, James Young, Terry Zanin.

Phi Sig's Win Trophy

The National Efficiency Trophy was awarded to NWMSC's Phi Sigma Epsilon for the third consecutive year.

The trophy, which is presented to the outstanding group in the national organization of 37 chapters, is now retired with Nu chapter of Phi Sigma Epsilon.

Convocation To Be Nov. 21

Reverend Hicks of the Methodist Church will be the speaker for the Thanksgiving Convocation.

The Convocation will be held November 21, at 4:30 p.m. in the Union Lounge. The message will be "Attempting to Thank God."

The college chorus will present two numbers.

Sponsor of the Convocation, the S.C.A., urges everyone to attend.

TGA Starts On Campus

One of the newest formed groups on campus is the Town Girls Association which was recently organized with the help from the AWS.

President Beverly McMennamin stated that TGA hopes to sponsor a dance which will be equivalent to the Harvest Moon Ball which is only for the girls living in the dormitories. She also said they hope to engage in various projects such as penny night.

President Jones Urges . . .

Students to Be Cautious

I want you to know that I believe the Student Body of this college is made up of the finest young men and young women in all the colleges of this state. I am proud of you. But unfortunately there have been a few strays get into this fine group of people who are not living up to the ideals of this college. Some of them have NOT taken the college oath seriously. Unfortunately, too, I do not know who these few strays are. If I did we could correct the situation very quickly.

At the present moment I am appalled at the number of reported losses of wraps from the racks in the Union as well as elsewhere on the campus. I want to suggest that every student put his name in his wraps as a means of identification.

Let every loyal student on this campus join me in an effort to locate those individuals who are stealing the property of students. I wish to assure you that if we can locate the thief, drastic action will be taken. Dean Koerble, the Dean of Students, the Student Senate, and the Discipline Committee are helping with this problem. Let us all join hands and put a stop to those things that bring disgrace on this college.

For fear someone will take offense at this statement and point out that I do not know that the culprit is a student, let me assure him that I have not said a student is doing the stealing. I hope no student is doing it. Let us join in stopping it. I wish to point out to you that you can recognize strangers in your midst and should you see one, ACT. I want this stealing stopped and YOU do too. Let us work together and give whoever is doing it a rough time RIGHT NOW

THE COLLEGE OATH

"We will never bring disgrace to this, our College, by any act of cowardice or dishonesty. We will fight for the ideals and sacred things of the College. We will revere and obey the College laws and do our best to incite a like respect and reverence in others. We will transmit this College to those who come after us, greater, better, and more beautiful than it was transmitted to us"

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Awards Given To Homecoming Winners

Winners in Homecoming events were announced at the 1961 NWMSC Homecoming dance with \$691.50 in cash awards received by representatives of the winning organizations.

First place award for the variety show presentation went to Phi Sigma Epsilon. Delta Zeta placed second, and Alpha Sigma Mu and Sigma Tau Gamma fourth and fifth places, respectively. Sigma Sigma Sigma and Tau Kappa Epsilon were awarded honorable mention.

House Decorations

In the house decoration division, Sigma Tau Gamma took first place. Sigma Sigma Sigma took second place and the Art Club took third place. Fourth and fifth place honors went to Wesley Foundation and Phi Mu, respectively. Honorable mention went to Alpha Sigma Alpha, Phi Lambda Chi, Tau Kappa Epsilon and Delta Zeta.

The Ag Club won first place in the humor float division, followed by I.S.O., 4-H Club and another Ag Club entry winning second, third and fourth place honors, respectively.

Beauty Float

Phi Sigma Epsilon was awarded first place in the beauty float division. Second place honors went to Tau Kappa Epsilon, followed by Wesley Foundation, I. A. Club and Phi Lambda Chi with third, fourth and fifth place awards, respectively. Honorable mention went to Sigma Sigma Sigma, Sigma Tau Gamma, Delta Zeta and Phi Mu.

I.S.O., having the only entry in the jalopy division, won the first place award.

First place parade trophy went to Phi Sigma Epsilon, with Tau Kappa Epsilon and the Ag Club winning second and third place trophies.

The first place award in the individual clown entries went to Tau Kappa Epsilon. The first place award in the group clown division went to Phi Sigma Epsilon.

Bands

In the band division, the first place Missouri band was Park Hill and the first place Iowa band was Glenwood.

The Supremacy trophy, which is based on points acquired through all phases of Homecoming participation, will be awarded at a later date.

College Newscast

The Radio Speaking class of NWMSC is presenting a five minute news broadcast each Monday and Friday on radio station KNIM. The newscasts are aired at 4:52 p.m.

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Was It Worth It?

While one reflects on the Homecoming of 1961, many good times and laudible efforts pop into the mind. It was a great homecoming, probably one of the best on record; but after all the laughing, yawning, worry, and sleepless nights are completed one question seems to float around campus: WAS IT REALLY WORTH IT?

Two of the major events make good examples when trying to answer this question: the parade and the variety show. (the game is covered on the sport page.)

Concerning the parade, it is held by some that for a mere one hour's enjoyment there is too much work involved. Stop to figure the total number of hours spent by students in construction of the floats. Will 1,000 student-working hours cover the construction of one float? Granted, homecoming would not be the same without a parade, but there were many who thought Freshman hazing could not be eliminated; however, no shaved heads were seen this fall.

What about the variety show? It takes a great deal of student and faculty time to present it, but this would be a good event on the homecoming calendar to keep around. Why? It makes an excellent medium for a few gripes from the students. There are very few other places where they can be voiced.

For instance, this year's show theme of "Famous Firsts and Lasts" did a metamorphosis and became "Famous Do's and Don'ts at NWMSC." Some think the show went a little overboard, but at least a few students let it be known that they liked to do the "Twist." And the griping and kidding did not become harmful, but rather remained on the good-natured side.

The question still remains as to whether it was worth it or not. As for the students who had no part in the preparation, undoubtedly it was well worth the effort (they could stay awake during the festivities). But for the campus minority who did all the work, homecoming must be a headache rather than the holiday that it should be. It's the same old story—in the end a few ambitious people carry the load for the entire student body.

Consequently, the procedures of Homecoming should be examined and evaluated as to their relative worth. Our dynamic college life—which we hope is progressing—soon makes traditions worthless. Simply because we did something last year is no reason for doing it again this year.

A Good Honor System

Lock your doors and give your roommate a lie detector test! With all the items that have turned up missing, or just plain have not turned up, you wonder who you can trust.

Trophies from fraternity houses, coats from the Den, clothing from the dorms, jewelry, and even sewing kits from the women's restrooms have been pulling the Houdini disappearing act.

Some petty thievery is, unfortunately, to be expected on a college campus; but at this rate what will be missing next?

Leaders of tomorrow swiping sewing kits—it sounds childish, doesn't it? Well, it is! The thefts, some of which may be "dares" in the first place, point up exactly how foolish and ridiculous the whole situation is. If people cannot learn to live WITH people, they may end up living by themselves.

It is up to the whole student body, not just law officers, to bring to a stop the thefts occurring on campus. Every single individual must do his part for the effort to be effective.

They're Talking About . . .

The person who had a mouse in a fish bowl in Roberta Hall. . . . Chicken dinners cooked in pop corn poppers. . . . Trick or Treat. . . . The long naps following Homecoming. . . . The moose and her antlers. . . . The cleanest girl on campus! . . . Mid terms a week early. . . . "Cut offs" on the dormitory telephones. . . . Big raid on C. C. . . . Strange people who wander into the wrong hygiene class—are they feeling alright???? . . . People who drive around with the top down. . . . People dressing in Humanities class. . . .



The Stroller has heard of and seen some most interesting things that have happened during the last two weeks . . .

A welcome sign to the girls (but probably not the guys) are the smoothshaven faces that had been masked with that uncomfortable (to the girls, not the guys) stubble. One coed was heard to remark at how handsome a fellow in one of her classes turned out to be after he had removed his "fringe." Another person became "notorious" during a test in a science class . . . but not because of his beard!!

Style Conscious

HONESTY is the best policy (at times, of course.), they say . . . One professor thrice-weekly admits frankly that he is a "screwball," and then proves it with witty (?) and unreal remarks. He even admitted that he helps his wife shorten her skirts to suit the style.

Dog Lovers

PUPS in the Den . . . One loafer spent part of the day resting on the floor listening to the familiar tunes. Another canine got so excited at being cuddled by so many different students that . . . Well, he . . . Forget it — He's only six weeks old!! (And on top of the table at that!!)

The most-heard remarks this week concern mid-term tests . . . They are the instructors' favorites and the students' most-hated exams. There was actually a verbal contest to see who has the most tests on the same day! The Stroller wonders what the prize would have been to the winner.

Secretary of State Dean Rusk, who as a college professor married a student in his class, defines a diplomat as "an instructor who can persuade one of his students to marry him without threatening to flunk her if she refuses."

From the Reader's Digest

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Calendar

Nov. 18, 8:30 a.m.-12:00 a.m.
Conference of School Librarian Assistants, Union Lounge

7:00 p.m., Movie to be announced, Bearcat Den
9:00 p.m.-12:00 p.m. Delta Zeta Pledge Dance, Union Lounge

Nov. 21, 8:30 a.m.-4:00 p.m., Civil Service Information Team, Bearcat Den
4:00 p.m. Annual Thanksgiving Convocation, Union Lounge
12:00 a.m. Thanksgiving Vacation begins.

The Students' Soapbox

The Students' Soapbox is a new feature of the MISSOURIAN which is intended to give the students of NWMSC a chance to voice their opinions. It replaces the "Letters to the Editor" column. The Editorial staff does reserve the right to condense, refuse, or correct articles. Articles submitted must be signed, but the names will not be published if so requested.

Send contributions to the NORTHWEST MISSOURIAN, 109, Colden Hall.

Students,

There has been much call for "reform" by some of the more interested students on campus. I think this is fine, but let us take the positive outlook on specific issues. Let us not tear down an institution without offering a better plan. This is what I would like to do with homecoming.

The way homecoming is now set up, two-thirds of the committee members are Greeks. This I believe is fair since they put on two-thirds of the homecoming show. What I would question, however, is the manner in which judges are selected for the parade, variety show, and house decorations. Last year the judges were from the town of Maryville. This year they were faculty members. With the rigid competition between fraternities and sororities on campus, most of the people, on campus and in Maryville, are prejudiced. Why can't the homecoming committee recruit people out of town to judge these events and make sure these people are judging in their special field of education.

I feel that the homecoming committee sponsors should be non-partisan. Partisan sponsorship has led to many accusations in the past, and this is not good or fair to the students and their organizations. Can we place the committee under the student Senate and the Dean of Students? This way the sponsor is not affiliated with any organization and the senators must answer to the students.

Dear sir:

A jester once bragged that he could make a joke on any subject. A wager was made on his boast, and when he accepted the bettor proposed that he make a joke on the king. "The King," answered the jester, "is not a subject."

Just so, there are some subjects which are not fit subjects for humor at any time, and some which are simply not humorous at any time. Scatology is not humorous.

Many of the floats in the Homecoming parade were beautiful. But the beauty was spoiled for me when the vulgar attempt at scatology humor with its display of bathroom furniture and obscene remarks to the spectators arrived.

This scatology display was humor? I say it is sick, sick, sick and belongs to the psychiatrist's couch.

This display was a credit to the college? In what way? Is Maryville to become a town where a girl can't walk down the street without having obscene remarks flung at her?

Respectfully,
J. Swift

Independent Officers To Be Elected Nov. 21

The Independent Student Organization met in the Administration building on Tuesday evening, November 7.

A nominating committee was appointed consisting of Ted Marr, chairman; Richard Leonard, Bill Brandt, Julia Henry, and Janice Murphy.

Election of officers will be at the next meeting to be held on November 21.

Club Initiates New 4-H Members

New members were initiated at the 4-H Club meeting held in the Gold room of the Union building Monday evening, Nov. 6.

It was announced that the 4-H Club won third prize and \$10.00 for their humor float which they presented in the Homecoming parade.

Roger Caudle was elected parliamentarian.

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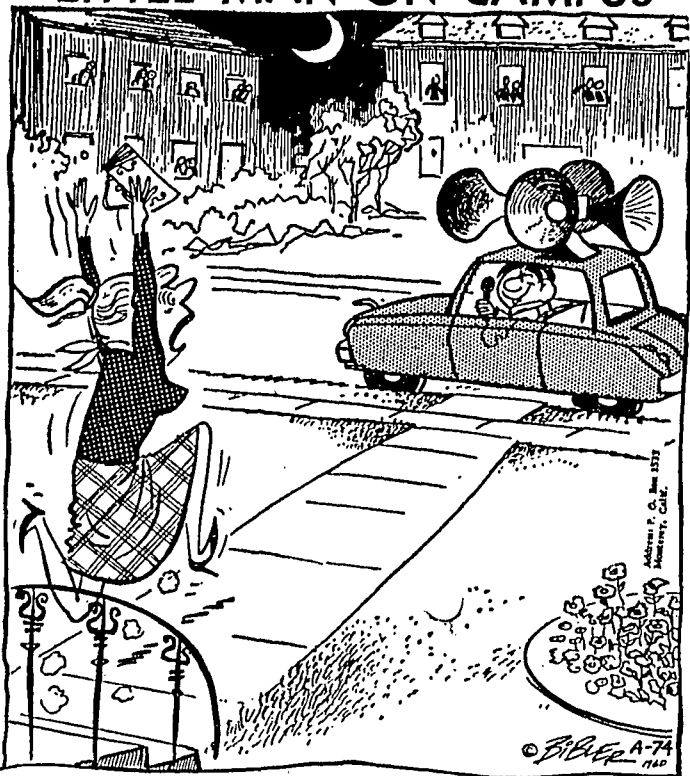
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OK, OK, I'M COMING!—BUT WHY CAN'T YOU JUST BLOW YER HORN LIKE TH' OTHER FELLOWS?"

Greeks Host Alums

Sigma Tau Gamma held its annual Alumni Banquet after the Homecoming game at the American Legion Hall.

Alumni Jim Mitchell of Maryville served as master of ceremonies, while the active chapter provided the entertainment.

Honored along with the alumni was Colonel L. M. Eek, Theta Chapter's first sponsor.

Delta Zeta alumnae were honored by a banquet at Armstrong's on Sunday, Nov. 4, at 6 p.m.

The banquet also served as an observance on the sorority's founder's day. Musical entertainment was provided by Elaine Cummings and Kathy Kinnick. Mrs. Wright, a patroness, presented the lamp soliloquy.

Approximately 55 actives and alumnae were present.

A welcome-back to alumnae was the aim of the Tri-Sigma Salad Bar Alumnae Banquet held at the First Christian Church, Saturday, November 4.

Hostess was Mrs. James Mitchell, president of the Maryville alumnae chapter. Special guests were alumnae, and sorority sponsor, Miss Neva Ross.

The Alpha Sigma Founder's Day Banquet was held Saturday, November 4, at Armstrong's Restaurant with approximately 102 in attendance.

President J. W. Jones was the guest speaker. The Founder's Day Ceremony was presented by Julia Elmore, Cary Holst, Diana Mitchell, and Jane Porter.

Miss Bonnie Magill and Mrs. Elaine Mauzey, sponsors, also attended the banquet.

Phi Mu's Mix With Phi Lamb's

Phi Mu Fraternity was host to the Phi Lambda Chi's at a mixer held November 7 in the Union lounge.

Music was provided by records and sorority songs were sung by the girls.

Knusel Speaks To Soc Sc Club

"The Warfare State" was the title of a speech given by Mr. Jack Knusel at the Social Science Club meeting, Nov. 8, in the Union Lounge.

Inadequate news coverage, education, and the role of the military were points discussed by Mr. Knusel in relation to becoming a warfare state, through extremist groups.

Phil Stone presided at the business meeting which preceded the program.

Federal Men To Explain Job Opportunities

Students interested in Federal careers will have a double opportunity to learn about job opportunities in civil service on Tuesday, Nov. 21. Representatives from the St. Joseph office of the Social Security Administration and the Kansas City office of the Internal Revenue Service will be in the Bearcat Den from 8:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. on that date.

No appointments will be scheduled for the Nov. 21 recruiting visit. The recruiters will talk to anyone who is interested in any type of Federal job.

LIFE with the BEARCATS

Pinnings

Penny Hopkins and Richard Werntz
Harry Roberts and Gloria Eickholt

Engagements

Bev Fitch and Bill Needles
Suzanne Sims and David Dollar

Marriages

Mary Catherine Matthews and Karl Jepner
Margie Creighton and Paul B. Roach
Alyce Young and Robert B. Stephenson

Jayne Gail Reich and William Robert Lafferty were recently married. Mr. Lafferty, a former student of NWMSC, was editor of the Northwest Missourian during second semester, 59 and 60.

Missourian Adds New Member

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Wells are the parents of a baby boy, Michael James, born October 30.

Mrs. Wells is a graduating senior in elementary education, and Mr. Wells is a graduating senior with a business major. Also Mr. Wells, J. R., as he is called around the office, is a member of the Northwest Missourian staff.

Dance Club Starts With Officer Election

Janet Hawkins was elected president of Dance Club at its first meeting Wednesday, November 8, at 6 o'clock.

Other officers elected were Linda Houck, vice president; Kathy Bogdas, secretary-treasurer; and Barb Chick, reporter.

A trip to Kansas City to see the Ballet Russe De Monte Carlo, which will be held in January, was discussed.

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Mrs. Godsey Speaks To Colhecon Meeting

Mrs. Elbert Godsey of Skidmore, Mo., gave a demonstration and talk on how to make shell jewelry at the Colhecon meeting held November 8.

Mrs. Godsey has been making shell jewelry for the past seven years as a hobby. In addition to her talk she displayed a large collection of earrings and other pieces of jewelry she had made.

Plans were made for the Christmas party which will be held at the home of Mrs. Betty Sawyers on December 13. Mrs. Sawyers is the new sponsor of Colhecon.

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Young Democrats Elect Officers

An election of officers highlighted the first meeting of the Young Democrats, which was held in the lounge of the Union, November 8, at 4:00.

The officers are: Pres., Ted Jamison; Vice-Pres., Merle Nichols; Sec.-treas., George Marsh.

Guests were the president of the Sixth District democratic women and the president of the Maryville Young Democrats.

Refreshments were served under the direction of Dixie Bailey, entertainment chairman.

The sponsors are Mr. James Lowe and Mr. Floyd Barrows.

Didactics By Delivery

Let me tell you a true story: Even an illiterate man can be wise. Take Farmer Jones for example. Jones has never attended a public school nor has he received any training in the art of forecasting. Too busy earning a living, (his father had eight children all eight years of age) he went to work to support his mother and large family of brothers and sisters (or family of large brothers and sisters) at the age of nine. But he did have time to attend the Cracker Barrel Correspondence School in his own home! What good could that do him, you say? Could that make him wise? Yes, let me show you what he accomplished with just fifteen minutes a day studying time.

Last week he was out planting his crops—gum trees in gumbo—when he noticed that grey clouds were forming in the sky, that there were large gusts of wind, and he could hear thunder far away. Farmer Jones thought about this for an hour or two and started running. Why did Farmer Jones start running? He had learned from our correspondence school—and with only fifteen minutes a day, mind you—over a five-year period, that is—that when such things occur that most of the time he gets wet if he remains in the field. Yes, by our correspondence course, Farmer Jones learned to come in out of the rain.

Why be illiterate? You, too, can take this course. The rates are reasonable. Think of the benefits. Ask yourself—would you want your old grey-haired mother to find you lying on the door step drowned because you didn't know how to come in out of the rain?

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'Cats Kicked By Mules, 44-13

A rash of penalties late in the second quarter led to three Warrensburg touchdowns, and the Mules didn't let up and recorded a 44-13 victory over Northwest State College in the MIAA Conference finale Saturday at Warrensburg.

The Bearcats had hopped off to a quick 13-0 lead in the first period, but, with the aid of the infractions, Warrensburg moved into a 19-13 lead at half-time.

For the game, the 'Cats were penalized 77 yards while Warrensburg was assessed 46 yards.

MSC took advantage of a Mule fumble three plays after the opening kickoff to notch its first score.

Don Daniels romped in from 21 yards out.

Later in the quarter, Paul Solschied hit Allen Kearns on a 35-yard touchdown pass.

Don Soper kicked the only extra point for the 'Cats.

Harry Lane, a 179-pound Mule fullback, had a field day as he crashed over for scores from two, three, four and three yards out.

The MIAA's leading receiver, Nick Allen, boosted his mark with two TD receptions on eight- and 24-yard passes from Del Rinne.

In the final quarter, the Bearcats began using the wide-open "shotgun" offense and gave Warrensburg a touchdown when George Marchetti romped 30 yards with an intercepted pass.

The Bearcats finished in the loop cellar with an 0-5 slate and were 2-7 for the year. It was Warrensburg's second loop win against three defeats and made for Mules 3-6 for the year.

In other loop action Saturday, Springfield upset Cape Girardeau, 15-6, to end the season with a 2-3 mark. Cape was 3-2.

Kirksville (5-0) won the loop championship and accepted a bid to the Mineral Water Bowl at Excelsior Springs with a 20-7 victory over Rolla (3-2) Friday.

STATISTICS

	M	W
First downs	11	26
Rushing yardage	168	292
Passing yardage	53	167
Passes	6/10	14/22
Passes intercepted	2	2
Punts	5/44	2/35
Fumbles lost	2	1
Yards penalized	77	45

Maryville	13	0	0	0-13
Warrensburg	0	19	13	12-44

Dolphins Add New Members

The Sigma Phi Dolphins have added the following girls to the swim club: Jane Stoner, Reita Smith, Lou Ann Jones, Sharor Sanoc.

Sheryl Gaines, Rexine Crawford, Cicelia McDonald, Janie Beavers, Sharon Luke, Elaine Buerkens, and Shirley Scott.

The present officers are Carole Lininger, president; Linda Houck, vice-president; Nadine Lind, secretary-treasurer; and Carolyn Gould, publicity and reporter.

If other girls are interested in trying out, openings are still available.

Basketball Tourney Is Still Underway

Women's Gym, November 6 and 7, was a center of action and competition as girls met again in the Intramural basketball tourney.

Monday, November 6, the Dorm Dolls defeated Gamma Sigma, Independent (Joyce Iwen) defeated Colhecon, Alpha II defeated Delta Zeta I, and the Lancers defeated Phi Mu.

Tuesday, November 7, The Tri Sigma defeated Pem Club, Independents (Joyce Iwen) defeated Alpha II, Alpha I defeated Colhecon, and Delta Zeta defeated the Daring Dribblers.

No games are scheduled for mid-term week.

Classring Collection At Registrar's Office

A collection of classrings has been started in Dean Foster's office.

This collection is made up of rings which have been found and turned into the office.

Another more diversified collection of items is in the possession of the custodian of Colden Hall. These items range from slide rules to car coats which have been turned in to, or found by, the custodian.

Students are urged to turn in lost items to either of the places, or if something is lost, check with both.

Matters Show Past Training

"We can expect more experienced men this year," commented Coach H. D. Peterson, wrestling mentor for Northwest Missouri State.

More aspirants have had experience in both high school and college grappling than in previous years; although a definite number has not been designated for wrestling turnout, the quantity is expected to be as excellent as the quality.

Good Material

A number of men who wrestled on last year's squad are expected to return. The lettermen include Bill Waugh, Council Bluffs, Ia., who is returning after a two season absence; Larry Timmerman, Nodaway, Ia.; Dave Moore, Maquoketa, Ia.; Ralph Messerli, Council Bluffs, Ia.; and Jim Rounds, Maquoketa, Ia.

Showing much promise of rising in team ranks are Jim O'Riley, Steve Drake, and Jim Gibson, all from southwest Iowa. Several new scrappers have shown interest in competition with the Bearcat mat men; Charles Butler, Tom Green, Gary Anderson, Roger Dal, Dan Sullivan, Bill Kilmer, Darl Weaver.

Steve Sommers, Glenn Ackoel, and Jan Mohr. Dr. Peterson explained that other candidates will be singled out after Intramural wrestling results have been seen.

Schedule Tougher

The Bearcats, ranked highly in AAU standings last year, executed a successful eight win-three loss season.

With the addition of four new opponents, the path to victory will become even more difficult to follow. The new schools are Central Missouri State, Wentworth Military, Nebraska University, and Kansas State.

Opening the battle on Dec. 9, a Maryville Squad will travel to Graceland College, Lamoni, Ia., for tournament matchings. The schedule is:

Home Meets

Dec. 8	William Jewell
13	Tarkio
15	Simpson
18	Wentworth

Chalk Talk . . . Bob Cobb

King Basketball is about to ascend to his lofty throne, and we are anxious for his reign to commence.

Basketball Clinic

Basketball coach Marion Moss relates that a round-ball clinic for coaches of northwest Missouri and southeast Iowa will be staged in the Lamkin Gymnasium today from 9:30 to 12:00. A discussion of the zone offense will begin the meeting, and basketball in general will be the main topic.

Competition

In relationship to this year's edition of Bearcat Basketball, Coach Moss was hesitant to make a prediction but stated that the team was slowly shaping up with keen competition for each starting slot. In fact, only one of the three returning starters is sure of starting position at this point of practice, according to the Bearcat mentor.

Preview

A basketball preview game is scheduled for Friday evening, November 17, in the Lamkin Gymnasium.

In our opinion, after viewing a few 'Cat Basketball workouts, this year's team possesses better all-around speed, equal shooting talent, less height, and less depth than last year's cage squad which won 15 and lost 9. Only time will tell.

Football

With football almost over, we can look upon this grid season as one which just didn't see the materialization of many lofty aspirations. All the arm-chair coaches sit back and comment on the misfortunes of the Bearcats. Some say "This;" others say "That." Look closely—in all games the Bearcats could must only 57 points while the opponents were gathering 227. Enough said!

Runner-Up

Speaking of statistics, Prime Williams moved up to a close second slot in the MIAA rushing leaders category lugging the pigskin fifty-three times and picking up 331 yards for a neat 6.25 average per run. The conference rushing leader is halfback Paul Weigard of Rolla who had a 6.59 average per carry.

Al Kearns ranks sixth in the league in pass catching figures hauling in fourteen tosses for 17 yards.

Harold Gentry continues as the MIAA's third leading punter averaging 33.6 yards in 37 boots.

HATS OFF . . .

To Prime Williams and his eighty yard gallop to paydirt in the Homecoming game.

To the 'Cat play who threw the key block on that same play.

To Coach Baker who, despite our nightmarish grid season, hasn't forgotten how to smile.

Jan. 6	Warrensburg
	11 Kansas State
	13 Graceland
Feb. 7	Iowa State
	17 Fort Hayes
	Missouri U.
	Away Meets
Dec. 9	Graceland tournament
Jan. 9	Tarkio
	31 Warrensburg
Feb. 10	Graceland
	12 Nebraska U.
	14 Wentworth
	20 Omaha U.
	26 William Jewell
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